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RESPONSE TO JULY 3, 2008 OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents

The Assignee respectfully requests reconsideration and entry of the following amendment in response to the office action mailed July 3, 2008. The Assignee respectfully submits that the office action is improperly final, and the Assignee submits that the pending claims distinguish over the cited documents.